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REMARKS

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1. From 8 to 22 February 1953, the Artillerie Kaserne at the Kammersdorf-Schiessplatz railroad station was occupied by about 1,500 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets including some with artillery insignia and including about 200 uniformed women. Two trucks towing 37-mm AA guns left the installation almost daily and went to the Golm im Flaeming for firing practices. Motor vehicles ☐ were seen driving to, and from, the installation. 25X1
2. From 8 to 22 February, the Panzer Kaserne in Kammersdorf was occupied by about 500 soldiers.
3. From 13 to 19 February, the tank and AAA quarters in forest section 32 at the Kammersdorf firing range were occupied by about 2,000 soldiers and guarded by sentries wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery or tank insignia. At 8:30 a.m. on 13 February, 4 trucks each towing a 37-mm AA gun and 2 trucks mounting machine guns left the installation and went to the training area adjacent to the northeast where the guns were emplaced. At 9 a.m. on 16 February, six trucks each towing a 37-mm AA gun and occupied by 8 to 10 soldiers left the installation toward Spremberg. Motor vehicle ☐ were identified. About 120 to 150 soldiers were almost daily observed practicing with portable radio sets and laying field wires. On 13, 16 and 18 February, night marches were conducted, with the units leaving at company strength and the soldiers carrying field equipment. 25X1

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